Calls Hummel One of the Vermin of the New York Bar-Insanity the One Defence -- Mother's Affidavit Overcome by Let-ter to Teacher-Jerome To-day.

Martin W. Littleton, chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw, yesterday afternoon spoke the last word that will be uttered for his client before the jury selected to try him for the murder of Stanford White. Mr. Littleton spoke for four hours and fortyfive minutes, with a recess of only an hour for luncheon, and when he had finished those who heard him were unanimous in the opinion that he had made a logical and powerful argument for the acquittal

of Thaw on the ground of insanity.

Some of the auditors who crowded the hig court room and who had often heard Mr. Littleton speak feared in advance that he would distribute flowers of rhetoric with prodigal hand from beginning to end of his speech. He did nothing of the kind. With one or two brief but effective interludes Mr. Littleton confined himself largely to argument, a logical marshalling of the evidence presented on the witness stand, and the inferences which the defence urged were the only proper ones to draw from

He traced the indications of insanity in his client from the insane history of his uncles, through prenatal happenings that might reasonably be supposed to have affected his mental health, through the days of his infancy and childhood, his youth and his early manhood down to the June night when he killed Stanford White on the roof of Madison Square Garden. His opening remarks were made in a tone scarcely audible outside the railing within which he stood, but his voice quickly rose until it became distinctly heard all over the court room. But he never raved, and his closing words, though solemn and impressive, were pronounced in a tone little louder than those with which he opened his address.

At the morning session Mr. Littleton contented himself with reviewing the evidence tending to show Thaw's insanity and bringing the case, so far as that feature of it is concerned, down to the time of the shooting. He pointed out that of all these witnesses, with two exceptions, Mr. Jerome had made not the slightest attempt to impeach the testimony by contradictory evidence. The District Attorney, he declared, simply sneered and let it go at that. He repeatedly reminded the jury that this case was not to be tried on sneers or smiles or smirks. Evidence that Thaw was sane when he killed Stanford White was what was demanded, in view of the defence's production of evidence tending to show the contrary. Instead of this, he averred, the District Attorney had only

He made a strong point of Mr. Jerome's failure to produce any expert witnesses to swear that Thaw was sane at the time of the killing. "Three weeks ago in my opening address," he said, "I challenged the District Attorney to produce a single expert witness to testify that this defendant was sane. He hasn't done it. Where are all these lost alienists, so many of whom appeared for the prosecution at the first trial of this cause?

Mr. Littleton dwelt at some length upon the bitterness felt by Mr. Jerome toward Thaw's young wife and upon the savageness with which he examined her, and declared again and again that he sometimes thought the District Attorney was of the opinion that young Mrs. Thaw herself was on trial. He was severe in his attack on Abraham Hummel, whom he referred to as "that vermin of the bar," that "rat" and "that rogue." He also declared that Mr. Jerome had tried to dump all the slime of Hummel's office" into the

lap of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. Everybody who could be jammed into the court room was there at each session. For the first time in the conduct of the case there were a few women present besides reporters and the members of the Thaw family. Thaw's wife came in early and quite by herself. She was followed a few minutes later by Mrs. George Lauder arnegie and then by Mrs. William Thaw, accompanied by a trained nurse, on whom she leaned heavily. Thaw's wife were no well, but the face of his mother was heavily

Thaw, himself stood the day well. He listened quietly to everything Mr. Little-ton said and remained quiet even when his counsel was describing him as a madman thing that frequently happened. Mr. derome was not in court at all. He stayed at home and engaged in the preparation of the speech with which he will close the case to-day. He will probably speak all day. The chances are that Justice Dowling will not charge the jury until to-morrow.

INSANITY THE ONE DEFENCE. INSANITY THE ONE DEFENCE.

Mr. Littleton at the outset of his speech said that he knew how well founded was the suspicion against the defence of insanity, but that the evidence offered in this case left no reason for such a suspicion. He then reviewed the cases of insanity among Thaw's relatives and the testimony relating to Thaw's mental and physical condition in his early life, dwelling especially on the letter written by Mrs. Thaw when Harry was ten years old in which she told his teacher that she feared his mind was more or less unbalanced, referred to the mental unsoundness of one of his unclessand told of her "horrible feeling of dread."

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All of this testimony was met only by the District Attorney's sneers, he said.

Evidence, evidence, evidence, was his continual cry. He had produced it. What had the District Attorney produced? Sneers

 and nothing else.
 Then he tackled the affidavit which Mrs. William Thaw made for the lunacy commission, one of Mr. Jerome's strongest points, and he appealed from that to the letter written twenty-five years ago saying: MRS. THAW'S LETTER AND AFFIDAVIT.

Now, gentlemen, I want to tell you that I appeal in a sense from the affidavit which is couched in the language of a lawyer, and which was written at the last trial, and perhaps may be filled with all of the instinctive and commendable pride of the mother; I appeal from that document to this document, which was written in her own hand more than wenty-five years ago, about which there is none of the confusing phraseology of the lawyer, in which there is none of the confounding phrases of special proceedings. nd about which and the meaning of which there can be no doubt; and at a time when tie boy is in no peril from anybody, except the peril of that despotism which was decreed for him before he was born. I appeal therefore from the affidavit, written in the tumult of a trial, drawn from what I call the plethorio vocabulary of the conventional lawyer: I appeal from that, with all its mystifying, sewildering phrases, to the simple document which comes across the reach of twenty-five years; fluttering as it were out of the hands of an old man, nearly 80, coming as a very benediction out of the past to interpose its power and its strength between the heavy hand of the law and this defendant. I say that you could not take that letter and retire to your jury room and read it over. this defendant should be punished as a responsible being.

Across the years answering every accusaof fraud, challenging every charge of usincerity, comes this letter. Who wrote he letter? Why, they say, his mother wrote · Could she have had any object in writing

if Thaw's brain had been subjected to

LITTLETON PLEADS FOR THAW no great strain, Mr. Littleton went on, it might never have broken down, and he added:

Every man has got the weight that will break his heart if the weight be found, and every man has the weight that will smite his brain and turn it dark if that weight be found. But if you be sensitive, nervous, predisposed, weak and enfeebled from before your birth, through your infancy and childhood, through your manhood, if you come along through life the prey of every ill, the subject of every assault, do you expect that will come, some blow will be struck, some terrible thing will happen to you in your career and the cord will snap, as it has snapped with so many men in the world before?

That brought the lawyer to the testimony of the English physicians and nurses about Thaw's actions in London and in Rome. He contrasted this testimony that there was no sign of alcoholism with Mr. Jerome's insinuations that the defendant had been drinking and said that Thaw's mania was prophesied by every event of his youth, proclaimed by every spell of his infancy and forecast in the language of his mother. He referred to Mr. Jerome's statement before the foreign witnesses appeared that before the foreign witnesses appeared that he wanted their names so that he might learn whether they were charlatans or not. and commented upon it thus:

I have not offered you any evidence by any smile any fact into this case or to sneer any fact into the case. I want to insist now that this is a serious undertaking, that this is a great burden which is austained, and I want you to see to it that the District Attorney insinuation, but by facts, the facts of this case as they are applied to the law of the case.
That is all I ask for. That is all this defendant should ask for and that is all any person can insist upon, but that much we do insist upon.

AFTERNOON SESSION CROWDED. When Mr. Littleton resumed his speech in the afternoon the court room was packed and there was a struggling crowd outside. and there was a struggling crowd outside.

Mr. Littleton referred to the testimony of Miss Fletcher, who said Thaw was irrational. She had known him for twenty-six years and nothing had been produced by the District Attorney to refute her story or the testimony of the other witnesses for the defence about Thaw's actions. Then Mr. Littleton got to Thaw's meeting with Evelyn Nesbit, and their trip to Paris. Of her he said:

Now sentlemen of the jury, there has been a great deal said in this trial, many ersions made upon Miss Nesbitnow Mrs. Thaw-in connection with her narrative of this story to Harry Thaw in Paris. It seems to me that I have discovered during this trial that the District Attorney has cultivated and acquired what is almost an un official antipathy to Mrs. Thaw, manifested by his statements before the jury, mani fested in his examination of her-an antipathy which it did seem to me exceeded by far the necessities or duties which belonged to his office.

I do not care whether you count this person moral or that person moral. I do not care whether you or I believe that Miss Nesbit may have been guilty of reprehensible con White. Nevertheless, when we try a case in this country it has been my experienceand I hope it will continue to be my experi ence-that when a woman is upon the stand as a witness she is entitled to have the testimony elicited from her in the same manner as a man would have it elicited from him At least she is entitled to as much gentility, to as much regard for her feelings, to as much care and tenderness and regard for the ordinary proprieties which a woman and a man count between each other. that the District Attorney transcended these proprieties in his examination of her I submit you. At all events it was my judgment, and it is an increasing feefing with me, that throughout this case he has rather been intent on destroying this young woman than he has in demonstrating that this man was sane on the 25th of June, 1906.

"VERMIN OF THE NEW YORK BAR." Now I will tell you how I feel about that and I think you will agree with me—that if I was the District Attorney and had made up my mind that it was my official duty to de stroy the character and credibility of a wit ness in this case, and especially of the wife of the defendant, and I did not have anybody resented the very vermin of the New York bar, a man whom I had convicted myself for crimes and misdemeanors, a man whom I had indicted for procuring false affidavits and the indictments were pending in my office again, a man who still lingered in prison-if I did not have any other person except that to destroy the character of even a person who might be criticised as much as he may criticise Mrs. Thaw, I think if I was the District At torney I would hesitate a long time before I would ask twelve of my fellow citizens to accept that evidence.

Her story hadn't been impeached, Mr. Littleton said. He went over her early life and said:

What is there about the life of a person like that that could arouse the savagery, such attack, such bitterness in this case? Why should the District Attorney walk about this pen like a caged lion, and the woman crouch-ing in the chair, and glare and advance and retreat? Why should he do that? And then coddle and vouch for this felon, this convict, this very loathsome vermin of the New York bar whom he convicted himself? Why should he do that? What has she done that she deserves to be plastered all over with infamy and degradation? And what has Hummel done that he deserves to have the backing of the District Attorney in a court of justice?—the only witness that he can nmon from the four quarters of the earth to blacken the character of this young woman. Would you impeach the character of any living being upon the evidence of a man such

is Hummel's evidence is in this case? And yet there is nothing else against her. This man who speaks to us from across in the prison, who is serving his time, given to who stands on an indictment for procuring false affidavite in other cases-this is th man. Is there any rebuttal in this case except that? I say it seemed to me—now, let me be fair about it; I do not wish to be unjust with the District Attorney, he and I are good friends—but it seemed to me that he seemed nore anxious to destroy this young woman before you and in this court and in the community, destroy her at all hazards and by all means, than he did to produce evidence to of June, 1906 -rather have the slime that trickling down through this case than to have the scientific opinion of his eleven ex-perts that Thaw was sane on June 25, 1906. Eithe letter written by Thaw to his lawyer, Longfellow, in October, 1903, showed, Mr. Littleton said, that Miss Nesbit had told Thaw in Paris the story about White. If Miss Nesbit had not told Thaw there was no way he could have got the information about her which he rut in the letter to the

about her which he put in the letter to Long-As soon as she got back from Paris, White As soon as she got back from Paris, White and his friends told her stories about Thaw.

"Poison, poison, poison!" said Mr. Littleton. "And from where? Where did this poison come from? From Mr. White and his friends. And why? This affidavit shows why. To keep Thaw out of New York. They started in and they poisoned her mind full to the brim. And then White said he wanted her to go down and see a lawyer, one of the best lawyers in New York, one of the ablest lawyers in the city—Hummel."

Hummel."
The making of the affidavit in Hummel's office and the photographing of the last page was a queer proceeding. White wanted the affidavit to protect himself, for he knew that she had told Thaw in Paris of her relations with him. White was afraid that Thaw, when he returned from Europe, would make an attack on him.

THAW'S LETTERS THOSE OF A LUNATIC. THAW'S LETTERS THOSE OF A LUNATIC.

The letters written by Thaw were those of a crazy man, Mr. Littleton said. As to the testimony of James Clinch Smith Mr. Littleton said that he forgave Smith for his feelings, for he was White's brother-in-law and wanted to see Thaw convicted; but the jury should not accept his testimony, for it was the testimony of a man

biassed, who was not telling the truth Mr. Littleton's attack on Smith was bitter, as he said that Smith's testimony was the only testimony offered by Mr. Jerome bearing on the condition of Thaw's mind on the night of the ahooting. Mr. Littleton flaured it out that it was a case of misfigured it out that it was a case of mis-taken identity when Thaw spoke to Smith, as the conversation showed that Thaw must have figured Smith out for somebody

The stories circulated by White and his friends, and which Thaw heard, were enough to drive a man of strong mind mad. When Thaw was in church with his mother in Pittsburg and cried his manner "was not the action of a murderer or assassin. Everything he did at his mother's home at that time indicated that his mind was

weak.

"Where are the alienists?" asked Mr.
Littleton. "Mr. Jerome had them at the last trial, but will he say this time that they are not worthy of belief? Or is it that with a full history of this boy's case he cannot get one of them to swear that Thaw was not insane the night he did this killing?

"You must keep in mind that if you have a reasonable doubt of this man's sanity on the night of the killing you must acquit him. Do not let the District Attorney fool you into believing anything else. That is your duty and that is what this defendant is entitled to. I have endeavored to present to you all the evidence in the case. I have done so to the best of my ability. Gentlemen, I leave the destiny of this young man, whether it is life or death, in your

It was close to 5 o'clock when Mr. Littleton closed. There was no grandstand play at the finish and a number of persons congratulated Mr. Littleton on his speech.

J. S. MATHEWS, JR., DROWNED.

Fell Overboard From Barge of E. W. Bliss Co., in Whose Employ He Was. SAG HARBOR, L. I., Jan. 29.-John S. Mathews, Jr., 22 years old, a nephew of James Warren Lane of Brooklyn, president of the E. W. Bliss Manufacturing Company, and paymaster aboard the gun barge Eliphalet Bliss, used in the work of testing torpedoes on the range off this place, fell overboard about 11 o'clock last night and

Mr. Mathews was a graduate of the Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, and had been connected with the E. W. Bliss Company ever since his graduation. The gun barge was anchored in Noyac Bay, off this

was drowned.

Mr. Mathews had been playing cards in a room on the upper deck and later started for his sleeping quarters on the started for his sleeping quarters on the lower deck. The bay was rough and the deck was glassy with ice. He missed his footing in the darkness and was thrown overboard by the lurching of the boat. He was seen to go overboard by Leavitt Mersereau, superintendent of the Noyac Bay range and a nephew of J. W. Leawitt, inventor of the Bliss-Leavitt torpedo. Mr. Mersereau plunged in after the young man, but his body was evidently swept man, but his body was evidently swept away by the currents, as he never came to Mr. Mersereau became exhausted in the

ice cold water and was unable to get back to the barge. A boat was launched and he was picked up unconscious. The body of the drowned man was recovered this morning and was sent to the nome of his father, in Washington avenue. Brooklyn. The young man was to be married shortly. He was a member of the Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn and a number of fraternal organizations

AMORY ACCUSES JEROME And Says the Grand Jury Has Invited Him to Confide in It.

William N. Amory was sent for by Assistant District Attorney Kresel vesterday afternoon to tell the Grand Jury what he knew about the alleged crookedness in the Metropolitan Street Railway case. Mr. Amory gave out a typewritten statement which he said he had read to the Grand Jury. It says:

In 1903 I was requested by Mr. Jerome to submit to him evidence of criminality upon he part of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company. I delivered all the information which I had and spent months with him in working up the cases against the Metropolitan treet Railway Company, and when I was through I found that Mr. Jerome was acting

Mr. Jerome admitted to my counsel, Mr. James W. Osborne, and my other counsel. J. Coleman Drayton, that he was satisfied that crimes had been committed by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company officials, but he refused to prosecute them. Therefore I refuse to lay the information before the present District Attorney or his associates. but will tell some independent disinterested gentleman selected by you or the Attorney-General or the Governor. I will not give any information to the District Attorney, as I found the information which I did give in 1903 was transmitted to the accused parties.

Outside Mr. Amory said:
"Before the Grand Jury this afternoon I accused Mr. Jerome of allowing the statute of limitations to prevent the prosecution of criminals and of doing it wilfully. I offered to appear before the Grand Jury or a committee composed of part of its members Monday, and the proffer was accepted."

A. C. LASSEN'S WIFE AFTER HIM. Afraid Her Alimony of \$13 a Week Is Going to Stop.

Alexander C. Lassen was arrested yesterday on a civil order of arrest signed by Justice Hendrick in the Supreme Court on the application of his wife, May C. Lassen, who alleges that she got a separation decree in 1904 and that he is trying to evade the decree included. Lassen gave \$5,000 bail. payment of the \$15 a week alimony which

Lassen was until recently the publisher and reputed proprietor of the Daily Financial News at 44 Trinity place. Mrs. Lassen says that he always paid her the alimony under the decree until last week. On Tuesunder the decree until last week. On Tuesday last, she says, she got a letter from E. B. Ketcham, editor in chief of the paper, in which it was stated that Lassen had sold his business and dismissed all his employees and would start for California immediately, never to return to New York.

Mrs. Lassen took this letter as an intimation that she need expect no more alimony and promptly applied to the courts for the order for her husband's arrest.

BUTCHERS AND BEEF TRUST. Stockholders in Independent Company Would Enjoin Officers.

Justice Leventritt of the Supreme Court reserved decision yesterday on an applica-tion by several minority stockholders of the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company for a writ of mandamus requiring the officers of the company to permit the stockholders to inspect all the books and papers and also for an injunction to restrain the officers of the company from selling their holdings of stock to Frederick Joseph, the president.

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Joseph and his fellow officers deny it. They are perfectly willing, they say, to let the other stockholders see all the books and papers, but they deny the right of anybody to insist on an inspection of any contract relating to the ownership or purchase of stock made by Joseph with any of the other stockholders or to any injunction order concerning the sale of stock.

Looking Seaward for Mark Twain.

Armed with an order signed by Judge Holt of the United States District Court, Charles L. Brookheim, receiver of the Plasmon Company, a breakfast food concern which went into bankruptcy a few weeks ago, is looking for Mark Twain, at one time acting president of the company, to get him to produce the papers and books. Mr Clemens has just sailed for Bermuda, so Mr. Brookheim must be looking sea-



VACATIONS ON HABEAS CORPUS

EDWARD J. RUSSELL GETS AN-OTHER TRIP TO NEW YORK.

Suggestion That in Future the Writs Bo Made Returnable in the Dannemora Prison-Last Time He Subpensed Odell and Several Supreme Court Justices.

Edward J. Russell, the criminal paranoiac who was sent to Dannemora prison several years ago on a charge of attempted extortion and who has a long criminal record from Illinois to New York, is to air his grievances again in this county on a writ habeas corpus signed yesterday by Justice Goff in the Supreme Court on the application of Clark Bell as counsel for Margaret M. Fox.

The expense of the hearing, which may be prolonged for several weeks, will fall on the taxpayers of New York and the proceedings will help to throw the calendar back. The last time Russell got a hearing in this county, before Justice Truax, the proceedings lasted over two weeks and Russell brought to court under subpoena several Justices of the Supreme Court who had previously passed on his case and a number of politicians, including ex-Gov. Odell.

Russell, whom numberless doctors have pronounced incurably insane, suffers from the delusion that his incarceration is the delusion that his incarceration is due solely to the influence of politicians who fear his knowledge, as he calls it, of the inside of several political incidents of the last decade, including several that happened while he was in jail. None of the men he names knows him at all except through his habeas corpus proceedings, and he is generally looked upon as the most persistent applicant for habeas writs, which

persistent applicant for habeas writs, which cannot be denied. The last time Russell asked for a writ the Justice to whom the application was presented replied that, while he could not refuse to sign the writ under the constitutional provision to that effect, he could name the place where the hearing might be heard, and would make it returnable in Clinton county, where Dannemora prison is. That did not suit Russell or his friends at all, as they are bent always on trips to New York. A Justice suggested yesterday that the proper way to dispose of Russell would be to make all his writs returnable in the prison itself and have a Justice take the trouble, if necessary, to go to Dannemora and hold a special term of court there. That would stop Russell's jaunts to New York and Brooklyn, said this Justice. Russell was accused of attempting to blackmail Almet F. Jenks.

NOT EAGER TO REDUCE WAGES. Representative of the Erie Says They Hope

to Keep Up the Men's Pay. The sessions of the adjustment committee of the Erie Railroad firemen which began its annual meeting at the Broadway Central Hotel on Moday ended yesterday and some of the members left the city. At such meetings it is customary to formulate demands for a new wage scale and a change in working conditions, but the committee fought shy of all propositions of a radical kind.

It was decided to let matters remain as they are, as under the present condition on the railroads it was thought inadvisable to make any demands. One of the members said:

"We were just having a series of talks That is all that is to be said."

In was said that in view of the firemen being only too glad to let the wages remain as they are a conference with the officials may not be necessary. The annual meetings of the engineers and trainmen to agree on a wage scale were held in this city several weeks ago, but though they met for a week the proceedings were only perfunctory and the usual conference with the officials of the railroad was not asked for. The adjustment committee of the conductors, which met at the same time, had a brief conference with General Man-ager Stuart of the Erie, but no demands were mentioned. A representative of the Eric Railroad said last evening:

Eric Railroad said last evening:

"If the firemen ask for a conference there will be no objection, but I do not see why it should be necessary. They know as well as we do that if they can keep their present wages they will be lucky. So far there is no movement on the part of the railroads to reduce wages. They are retrenching in other ways on account of the falling off in traffic by using fewer trains, which means fewer crews. If there was a disposition to reduce wages there would be disposition to reduce wages there would be concerted movement among the railr The regular thirty days notice would be given to the men and there would be conferences at which the new scale would be

ROB EXPRESS AGENT OF \$3,000. Held Up in Station With Many Passenger

Near-Two Arrested. Mansfield, Ohio, Jan. 29.-Two masked men entered the office of the Adams Expfess Company at the station here shortly after midnight knocked William Depew, the agent, senseless and escaped with \$3,000 while a hundred passengers stood about the station platforms. A bag containing \$40,000 in gold which lay near the \$3,000 was overlooked.

According to the story told by Frank McGinty, the agent's assistant, the robbers entered the office and asked for a package which they said they thought had arrived on a late train. While Depew was looking for the supposed package, one of the robbers struck him on the head, while the other robber covered McGinty with a revolver.

McGinty gave the alarm as soon as the men had gone. New LONDON, Ohio, Jan. 29.—John McCue New London, Ohio, Jan. 29.—John McCue and Joseph Stevens, both with police records, were arrested here this morning. The \$3,000 stolen from the Adams Express Company at Mansfield was found, the police declare, in their possession, and Stevens is said to have made a full confession. After the robbery the men hired a farmer to drive them to Galion, where they took a train for Cleveland.

STATE PAPERS RECOVERED. Salvador, Embarrassed at the Battery,

Saved by Yankee Detective. James McCue of 5 James street was held in \$1,000 bail by Magistrate Butts in the Tombs police court -yesterday charged with stealing a handbag which contained important Government papers belonging to J. G. Guerro, secretary to the Legation of Salvador in Washington.

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Guerro arrived yesterday on the steamer Prinz August Wilhelm and landed at the Battery. He left his bag for an instant outside the Barge Office and when he returned it was gone. Just then, however, Detective Williams of the Central Office came up with the bag and a man whom he had arrested. In expressman named Joseph May had seen the man take the bag and had told the detective.



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Mon. Evg., Feb. 3 at 7-48—TRISTAN UND ISOLDE. Gadski, Homer: Burgstaller, Van Rooy, Blass, Muhlmann, Reiss. Cond., Mahler, Wed. Evg. Feb. 3, at 3-MARTA. Sembrich. Homer: Bonct. Journet, Barocchi, Dufriche. Coaductor, Ferrari.
Thars. Evg., Feb. 6, at 7-48—Duble bill. PAGLIACUL. Cavalleri: Caruso, Scotti, Reiss. Sarto. Cond., Ferrari.
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